

Gem County Rod & Gun Club Meeting Minutes January 12th, 2026

Directors Present: Director/Acting Treasurer Doug Argo, Director Paul Kaczmarek, Director Ted Shaver

Officers Present: President Larry Albaugh, VP David Timony, Secretary Jim Bunting

Members Present: Thomas Eicher, Michael Temple, Russell Escalera, Steve Trovinger

The GCRGC January 12th, 2026 meeting was held at the Senior Center located on 719 S Johns Ave in Emmett, Idaho. President Larry Albaugh started the meeting at 7:00 pm.

Minutes: Director Ted Shaver makes a motion to approve the December 2025 meeting minutes. The motion is seconded by VP Dave Timony and it carries.

Treasurers Report: Director/Treasurer Doug Argo reports the following.

\$50,600.00 Balance in Checking
\$165,690.00 in the Edward Jones Account

Director/Treasurer Doug Argo reports the only changes in the Edward Jones account has been market changes. All deposits and withdraws out of the checking account have been provided by e-mail. All of the Club's computers have been returned from the Sheriff's Office and Director/Treasurer Doug Argo is sorting it out. Director/Treasurer Doug Argo introduces a document to the BOD/Officer's that will provide full disclosure on any purchases made by Board members and Officer's on behalf of the Club via work orders. The document would be signed by the purchaser and a receipt would be stapled to it.

Motion: Director Ted Shaver makes a motion to approve the January 2026 Treasurers report. The motion is seconded by VP Dave Timony and it carries.

Director Ted Shaver----Motion
VP Dave Timony---Second
Director Paul Kaczmarek---Aye
Director/Treasurer Doug Argo---Aye
Secretary Jim Bunting---Aye

Member Concerns: A member was concerned about not getting into a membership orientation in order to receive his gate card. President Larry Albaugh pointed out to him that he had twelve opportunities to go to the Club's orientation. The orientation classes do get full but there are many opportunities to attend one if you don't wait until the very last minute. Member Thomas Eicher asked the BOD's/Officer's if prior membership matters in getting into the Club year after year. Eicher was told that prior membership does ensure that you get a membership for the incoming year. Gem County residents can

always sign up for a membership and non-resident members get first crack at becoming a member for the next year.

Range Status: All rifle range backings have been changed, all steel is up and working properly, trash has been looking good and \$500 dollars in gravel (10 yards) has been purchased. Pistol bay #5 berm is due to get the berm beefed up and will be done with the dirt obtained from the front gate work. The heavy rain has caused a lot of erosion as always but it is being addressed by replacing the gravel that has washed away. The road leading to the gun range is heavily eroded by the rain and needs repair. On January 12th the company installing the electric gate will be working and it will be a good time to get a lot of questions answered concerning the time frame to completion.

VP Dave Timony makes a motion for \$1000 of gravel and \$1500 on labor for the upkeep of the berms for pistol bays 1-5. The motion is seconded by Director Ted Shaver and it carries.

VP Dave Timony---Motion
Director Ted Shaver---Second
Director/Treasurer Doug Argo---Aye
Director Paul Kaczmarek---Aye
Secretary Jim Bunting---Aye

Tables at the Gun Range: Most of the tables used on the pistol bays are shot up and beat up. Two replacement tables have been already made and there are scraps for one more. Cost for each table is \$130 with ten more needed. Member Ralph Brenner has been making tables for the Club out of his own funds. The BOD/Officers wish to reimburse Mr. Brenner for his out-of-pocket expenses and pay for him to make the additional 10 tables.

Director Ted Shaver makes a motion to pay member Ralph Brenner \$1500 to make 10 more tables for GCRGC. That would be 10 tables at \$150 each for material and labor. The motion is seconded by Director/Treasurer Doug Argo and it carries.

Director Ted Shaver---Motion
Director/Treasurer Doug Argo---Second
Director Paul Kaczmarek---Aye
VP Dave Timony---Aye
Secretary Jim Bunting---Aye

Motion is made by VP Dave Timony to reimburse member Ralph Brenner for the two-gun range tables he has already built with his own funds. The amount would be \$150 x 2ea. Motion is seconded by Director Ted Shaver and it carries.

VP Dave Timony---Motion
Director Ted Shaver---Second
Director Paul Kaczmarek---Aye

Director/Treasurer Doug Argo---Aye
Secretary Jim Bunting---Aye

Club Taxes: Motion was made by Director/Treasurer Doug Argo for President Larry Albaugh to talk to the accountant that handled the Clubs taxes in 2022-2023 for information. Motion is seconded by Director Ted Shaver and it carries.

Director/Treasurer Doug Argo---Motion
Director Ted Shaver---Second
Director Paul Kaczmarek---Aye
VP Dave Timony---Aye
Secretary Jim Bunting---Aye

Motion is made by VP Dave Timony to adjourn the January 2026 GCRGC monthly Board meeting. It is seconded by Director Ted Shaver and it carries.